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FOR: EPICHLOROHYDRIN AMINE POLYMERS USED FOR TREATING THE

SURFACE OF LEATHER

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicants would like to thank Examiner Hammer for the helpful and courteous telephonic discussions held on January 7 and 11, 2010. During the interview, an Examiner's Amendment limiting the list of amines in Claims 5 and 23 was discussed and authorized, as follows:

the at least two different amines are selected from the group consisting of benzylamine; bis-2-aminoethyl ether; N,N-dimethylethylenediamine; piperazine; ethylenediamine; N,N-dimethylaminopropylamine; methylbis(3-aminopropyl)amine; methylbis(2-aminoethyl)amine; N-(2-aminoethylpiperazine); N-aminoethylpiperazine; diethylenetriamine; dipropylenetriamine; triethylenetetraamine; 4,7-dimethyltriethylenetetraamine; dimethylaminopropylamine; and tetraethylenepentaamine,

Respectfully submitted,

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